

Revised: July 15, 2008

**TENTATIVE AGENDA  
for the  
LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE**

**July 16-17  
Memorial Medical Center; Rooms A & B  
2450 So. Telshor Blvd., Las Cruces**

**July 18  
Mimbres Valley Special Events Center, Room 144  
2300 E. Pine St., Deming**

**Wednesday, July 16**

- 10:00 a.m.     **Call to Order**
- 10:05 a.m.     **Welcome and Introductions**  
—Paul Herzog, Chief Executive Officer, Memorial Medical Center
- 10:15 a.m.     **Behavioral Health Overview and Status Report**  
—Legislative Council Service (LCS) Staff
- 10:30 a.m.     **Behavioral Health Panel**  
—Joe Rodriguez, Acting Chief Executive Officer, Peak Behavioral Health Services  
—Margaret McCowan, Chief Executive Officer, Mesilla Valley Hospital  
—Silvia Sierra, Director, Doña Ana County Health and Human Services  
Department  
—Becky Beckett, President, National Alliance on Mental Illness-New Mexico  
—Susan Campbell and Chistena Scott, Co-Chairs, Doña Ana County Behavioral  
Health Collaborative
- 12:30 p.m.     **Lunch**
- 1:30 p.m.     **Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment Program (SBIRT)**  
—Arturo Gonzales, Ph.D., Executive Director, Sangre de Cristo Community Health  
Partnership
- 2:00 p.m.     **Health Reform Status Report**  
—Staff, LCS

4:00 p.m.      **Public Comment**

4:30 p.m.      **Recess**

**Thursday, July 17**

9:00 a.m.      **Call to Order**

9:05 a.m.      **Healthy Kids Initiative**

—Patty Morris, Director, Healthy New Mexico Kids Initiative

—Hon. Ken Miyagishima, Mayor, City of Las Cruces

—Stan Rounds, Superintendent, Las Cruces Public Schools

9:45 a.m.      **Home Visiting Program**

—Dorian Dodson, Secretary, Children, Youth and Families Department (CYFD)

10:15 a.m.      **Border Health Issues**

—Paul Dulin, Director, Office of Border Health, DOH

11:00 a.m.      ***Promotoras/Community Health Workers***

—Angie Sanchez, Community Development Coordinator, Office of Border Health

11:30 a.m.      **Human Services Department (HSD)/Medicaid/Behavioral Health  
Collaborative Status Report**

—Katie Falls, Deputy Secretary, HSD

12:30 p.m.      **Lunch**

1:30 p.m.      **New Mexico State University College of Health and Social Services —  
Undergraduate and Graduate Nursing Programs; Outreach Programs; Border  
Health**

—Dr. Virginia Higbie, Interim Dean, New Mexico State University College of  
Health and Social Services

2:30 p.m.      **City of Las Cruces Senior Programs**

—Shelley Modell, Administrator, Senior Programs

2:45 p.m.      **Elderly Victims Assistance Program**

—Susana Martinez, District Attorney, Doña Ana County

3:00 p.m.      **HM 4/SM 10 — Medicaid Enrollment**

—Kim Posich, Executive Director, New Mexico Center on Law and Poverty

3:30 p.m.      **Public Comment**

4:30 p.m.      **Recess**

## **Friday, July 18**

10:00 a.m.     **Call to Order**

10:05 a.m.     **Primary Care Health Work Force Study (HM 2)**

- Charlie Alfero, Chief Executive Officer, Hidalgo Medical Services
- Arthur Kaufman, M.D., Vice President, Community Health, University of New Mexico (UNM) Health Sciences Center
- Kooch Jacobus, Deputy Director, New Mexico Health Policy Commission
- Tom Kauley, Management Analyst, New Mexico Health Policy Commission

11:00 a.m.     **Work Force Issues Panel**

- Recruitment and Retention Overview
- Jerry Harrison, Ph.D., Executive Director, New Mexico Health Resources
- Rural Provider Tax Credit Experience
- Harvey Licht, Director, Primary Care and Rural Health Office, DOH
- B.A. to DDS Program
- Peter Jensen, DDS, Director, Advanced Education in General Dentistry Program, UNM
- Loan Repayment Experience
- Tashina Banks Moore, Director of Financial Aid, New Mexico Higher Education Department
- Nursing Recruitment and Retention
- Ann DeBooy, R.N., Chief Nursing Officer, Memorial Medical Center

12:00 noon    **Working Lunch**

1:00 p.m.     **Private Border Health Practitioners Panel**

- Kamran Kamali, M.D.
- Anthony Levatino, M.D.
- Denise Leonardi, M.D.

1:30 p.m.     **Report on State Facilities**

- Katrina Hotrum, Deputy Director for Facilities, DOH

2:30 p.m.     **Public Comment**

3:00 p.m.     **Adjourn**